

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: [Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers \(47-2081\)](#)

Associated Occupation: [Plasterers and Stucco Masons \(47-2161\)](#)

[Compare Knowledge](#)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 82

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Building and Construction	4.0	12.1	21.6	>> Current knowledge level is likely more than sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 70

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	8.0	7.3	0 Current skill level may be sufficient
Management of Material Resources	3.7	3.9	2.6	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

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Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 86

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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Extent Flexibility	4.8	11.6	11.5	0 Current ability level may be sufficient

Manual Dexterity	6.5	11.6	9.8	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Static Strength	5.0	11.1	8.9	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Trunk Strength	5.7	10.8	11.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Gross Body Equilibrium	3.2	9.0	10.7	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient
Stamina	4.0	9.0	7.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Gross Body Coordination	3.9	8.5	8.1	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Dynamic Strength	3.5	8.2	5.9	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Speed of Limb Movement	3.2	7.4	4.9	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 80

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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Adhere to safety procedures	12
Apply adhesives, caulking, sealants, or coatings	45
Apply plaster, stucco or related material	80
Build or repair structures in construction, repair, or manufacturing setting	54
Climb ladders, scaffolding, or utility or telephone poles	56
Erect scaffold	56
Fabricate, assemble, or disassemble manufactured products by hand	11
Install insulating materials	81
Install prefabricated building components	74
Move or fit heavy objects	8
Perform safety inspections in construction or resource extraction setting	46
Read tape measure	41
Read technical drawings	7
Understand construction specifications	53
Use hand or power tools	2
Use measuring devices in construction or extraction work	41

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 85

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Building construction machinery and accessories	25
Business function specific software	1
Computers	1
Cutting and crimping and punching tools	3
Drafting supplies	9
Finance accounting and enterprise resource planning ERP software	2
Forming tools	2
Ladders and scaffolding	6
Marking tools	11
Masonry and concrete tools	22
Measuring and layout tools	3
Paint applicators and painting accessories	15
Power tools	2
Sealing tools	21

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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